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(54) EAR COVER

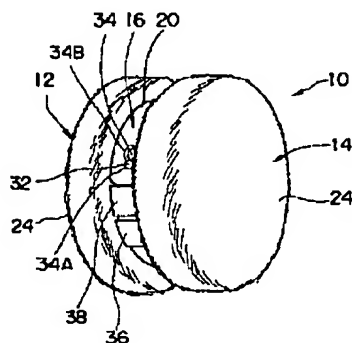
(57) Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide an ear cover that can be made compact when not in use, as when carried around or stored.

SOLUTION: An ear cover 10 is provided with first and second ear cover bodies 12, 14 opposed to each other. The first and second ear cover bodies 12, 14 are connected together by an inverted-U-shaped connector 16 made from a synthetic resin. A bracket is placed upright at the ear abutting parts of the first and second ear cover bodies 12, 14, and a locking piece is pivotally supported against the bracket in such a way as to be rotatable toward the front with respect to the ear abutting parts that extend in a first direction. An enlarged-head pin 32 is placed upright outside the end of the locking piece and is inserted into a pin hole 34 formed

through the first connecting piece 20 and second connecting pieces of the connector 16, and the first connecting piece 20 and second connecting pieces are pivotally supported in such a way as to be rotatable in a second direction crossing the first direction.

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(54) ARCTIC CAP WITH DETACHABLE EAR COVER**(57) Abstract:**

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To solve the problem of sense of incompatibility caused by hooks at the fixing side directly contacting with head parts when wearing an arctic cap without an ear cover because the fixing side hooks are exposed to the interior of the arctic cap when the ear cover is not used in the arctic cap having the detachable ear cover attached by using the hooks or the like.

SOLUTION: This arctic cap 1 has fixing side hooks 4 fixed at prescribed plural parts of the inner periphery surface 2 of the edge part of the arctic cap 1. A sweat band 3 is arranged so as to be hung down from the position of the inner side from the edge part of the arctic cap 1 at the inner periphery part 2 of the arctic cap 1 to the edge part of the arctic cap 1 so as to cover

the fixed side hooks 4. Plural attaching side hooks 6 capable of detachably fitting into the fixing side hooks 4 are fixed to the outside surface of the upper edge of the ear cover 5.

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